

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

*Reply to Notification of Missing Requirements
Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office
(DO/EO/US)*

Applicant(s):	Yoshitaka NISHIO, et al.	Docket No.:	49288.2800
Serial No.:	10/595,201	Filed in U.S.:	March 22, 2006
TITLE:	SUBSTRATE DICING SYSTEM, SUBSTRATE MANUFACTURING APPARATUS, AND SUBSTRATE DICING METHOD	Group Art Unit:	TBA
		Confirmation No.:	4462

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Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) mailed on November 3, 2006, in the above-identified application, enclosed herewith are the missing requirements needed to complete filing of the subject patent application.

1. Small Entity Status

[X] Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 has been indicated.

2. Fee Calculation

Basic Fee (\$900.00) + surcharge (\$130)						=	\$1030.00
Total Claims	59	minus	20	=	39	x	\$50.00 = \$1950.00
Independent Claims	3	minus	3	=	0	x	\$200.00 = \$0.00
Multiple dependent claim fee, if applicable							\$360.00 + \$360.00
Fee for exceeding 100 pages							\$500.00

Fee calculation, request for extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

[]	Missing parts filed within first month after due date – add	\$ 120.00	+	N/A
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3. Enclosures (check as applicable)

- ☒ Notice of Missing Requirements (copy)
☒ Executed Combined Declaration
☐ Other:

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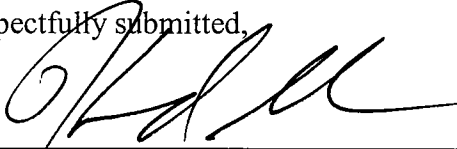
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The Patent and Trademark Office is respectfully requested to send an Official Filing Receipt and Notice of Acceptance of Application for this matter to the undersigned attorney and forward the application for examination.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 03/22/2006
- English Translation of the IA filed on 03/22/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 03/22/2006
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 03/22/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 03/22/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 03/22/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 03/22/2006
- Specification filed on 03/22/2006
- Claims filed on 03/22/2006
- Abstracts filed on 03/22/2006
- Drawings filed on 03/22/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

NOTED FOR RECEIPT

Response due 11/3/07

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$65** for a Small Entity:

- **\$65** Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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